



April 5, 2011

George Miller
Ranking Member
Committee on Education and the Workforce
2101 Rayburn House Office Building
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Representative Miller,

Thank you for re-introducing the Keeping All Students Safe Act. The National Disability Rights Network (NDRN) believes that it is critical that comprehensive federal legislation is signed into law to address the use of restraints, seclusion and aversive interventions on students in our nation's schools.

As you know, NDRN documented some horrific abuses of students in our report "School is Not Supposed to Hurt: Investigative Report on Abusive Restraint and Seclusion in Schools" (<http://ndrn.org/sr/SR-Report.pdf>) and NDRN continues to hear of stories across the country. NDRN looks forward to continuing to work with you to pass comprehensive legislation that protects our nation's students.

Sincerely,

Curt Decker
Executive Director